

## Iron County Register

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Judge John L. Bogy, of Ste. Genevieve, is the man who ought to be appointed Collector of this District. As between the different applicants for the place, we think our Senators ought not to hesitate to endorse him, and we hope they, and the Treasury Department, will take this view of the case.

An indignant correspondent to the *Blanchester (O.) Star*, says, in the issue of last week:

I would like to ask the good citizens of Blanchester, more particularly I appeal to all virtuous wives, how long will virtue be at a discount, while in our midst are ladies and women living in open shame with married men who have families—yes, innocent little girls whom they forsake to riot with those lude women?

Horrible! Horrible! And spell wrong, too!

We would like to hear from the different parts of Southeast Missouri, as to what the people think of urging the name of James D. Fox for Supreme Judge, to take the place now filled by Judge Henry—*Popular Bluff Citizen*.

We supposed it was quite generally agreed that Judge Thomas was to have the support of a united Southeast, and here now comes a break a whole year before it is necessary even to talk about it! Of course the Southeast will be united—of course!

Piedmont Leader: "A railroad man by the name of Mike McGinn had the misfortune of having an arm broken on the train last Sunday. He was on No. 601 on his way to Sabula to take charge as foreman of a gang of section men. When at Hogan the train sidetracked for another train to pass, McGinn put his arm out of the window and it was caught between the coach and the shute of the stock pen, and before it could be extricated, it was broken between the elbow and shoulder. He was brought on the same train the accident occurred on, to this city where the wound was dressed by the local surgeons, Drs. Pettit & Toney.

Steelville Sentinel: "John Kelly, who was sentenced to 31 years in the penitentiary at the September term, 1881, of the Circuit Court of this county, for the murder of his wife on the 14th day of September, 1877, appealed his case to the Supreme Court of Missouri and it was passed upon last March. The Supreme Court took as material evidence that it was intentional murder, the fact that 'Defendant, though present when she died, did not attend the funeral and thereafter fled the country,' and closes by saying, 'we find nothing in the record to justify us in disturbing the judgment (of the Crawford county Circuit Court) and therefore affirm it.'"

Farmington Times: "Last Tuesday morning Sheriff Kage and Deputy Sheriff Bean of Cape Girardeau county arrived here with a negro brute who richly deserves death, and lodged him in our jail to escape lynching at the hands of an excited people in that county. The negro, whose name is Jack Johnson with two or three aliases, on the 2d inst. made a half dozen or more attempts to outrage several women and one or two girls in Cape county, in several instances leaving the marks of his brutal fingers on their throats. He was pursued by an enraged party of determined men, but managed to elude them and escape to Illinois. Sheriff Kage, however, succeeded in having him arrested and delivered on this side of the river. The people were preparing to give the beast a warm reception at or on the way to Jackson, but the sheriff outgeneraled them and spirited him off to this county for safe keeping and a legal trial. A big strapping negro who is in jail serving out a sentence on the rock pile, being told of the offense of the new occupant, and that a mob from Cape county might attempt to take him out and lynch him, said: 'Look here, boss, don't let 'em make a mistake and take dis nigger.'"

Charleston Enterprise: "On or about May 31st, Joseph Villmore, in company with Wm. McConnell, escaped from the Chester, Ill., penitentiary. McConnell was serving out a five years sentence for robbing a post-office safe in the northern district of Illinois. Villmore was sentenced for life in 1878 for murder committed in Clay county, Illinois, and made his escape from the Chester prison, on a previous occasion, in Dec. 1878. He got away and was at large until March, of the following year, when he was re-captured and remained in prison until last week. Detective J. W. Smith, one of the guards at the prison, was sent after him last week, and on last Saturday while driving along the road near Oron, Scott county, Mo., in company with Deputy Sheriff E. C. Randolph, he saw his men, Villmore and McConnell, walking in the road ahead of him. Sheriff Randolph jumped out of the buggy and commanded them to halt. One of them started to run when Detective Smith brought a double-barreled shot gun to bear on them when they surrendered. The convicts were brought to Charleston on the evening mail train and were then taken to Cairo by Detective Smith and L. H. Myers of Cairo. We understand that E. C. Randolph made \$50 by assisting in the capture."

Neither mental nor physical labor can be accomplished satisfactorily unless the system is in order. When you feel tired, languid, wearied without exertion, the mind slow to act, and requiring great mental effort, you can rest assured that your liver is not acting properly, and that nature requires assistance to help throw off impurities. There is no remedy that will accomplish this so mildly and yet so effectively as PRICKLY ASH BITTERS. A trial will satisfy you of its merits.

## The Branch Pen.

The location of this concern at Cape Girardeau has caused our Fredericktown contemporaries to exhibit many tokens of displeasure, and will no doubt cause comment elsewhere.

We do not understand fully all the facts which were before the commissioners to influence their decision in the location, but we cannot fully approve all the unpleasant things which our Fredericktown friends say about Cape Girardeau. We fully agree that Fredericktown is the more healthy place, and probably has other advantages over the Cape, but still, for the credit of Southeast Missouri, we must mildly protest that the Cape is not deserving of all the uncomplimentary things said about it by our exasperated neighbors.

The Cape has had its misfortunes and troubles, but it has bravely struggled along, as but few towns have struggled, and is, we hope, now on the high road to prosperity. We think the whole Southeast ought to be glad to see it become a large city; certainly that is our wish.

If the branch Pen. would have added anything to the prosperity of our neighbor, Fredericktown, we certainly would have preferred to see them have it; but would it?

The citizens there thought so, and they made a fight worthy of them—a fight of which they may feel proud—one in which they exhibited more enterprise than we supposed they possessed.

They failed, but if they will exhibit composure in defeat, their honor is preserved untarnished.

Whatever the branch Pen. may do for the Cape, (and we think it will be precious little in the way of prosperity to the city), we are very confident that Fredericktown should felicitate itself upon its good luck in the deliverance. Madison county holds within its bosom the elements of a grand and prosperous future. But that grand future could never come about if its rich mines and mountains of granite should fall under the blighting influence of convict labor. Every convict employed in the granite quarries or mines would displace a free man. The convict gets no wages, and spends no money. With its free laborers driven out, and its industries in the grasp of convict labor and in the clutch of those who employ it, we should tremble for the future of grand old Madison.

No, indeed! While all our sympathies, and the good wishes of our citizens, were with Fredericktown in the fight, yet we feel convinced that Madison county has escaped a most damaging and withering blight, and that it has reason to rejoice rather than to lament.

## Preller's Murderer in Custody.

The steamer City of Sydney, from Australia, arrived at San Francisco last Monday morning with Sydney advices under date of May 21, and Auckland, New Zealand, May 25. The Auckland papers contain an account of the arrest, on May 25, of Walter H. Lennox-Maxwell, alias Theodore Cecil Dauguer, charged with having murdered Arthur Preller in St. Louis April 5. The arrest was made by the United States Consul, Gamble, who received a telegram from the Chief of Police of St. Louis with instructions to that effect. Two days later Consul Gamble received a telegram from the United States Secretary of State authorizing him to make the arrest. Two detectives boarded the steamer at Tiritiri. The purser, in reply to their questions, stated that there was a man among the steerage passengers bearing Maxwell's description. He was summoned on deck. The first question asked him was whether he was a physician. He promptly denied this saying that he was a native of France and an officer of the French army. The detectives informed him they had a warrant for his arrest and would have to take him into custody. Maxwell appeared to be disconcerted, but recovered his composure while the officers were hand-cuffing him, coolly remarking that the whole matter was a mistake, which would be quickly explained away.

On May 5th he was taken into the police court and the charges against him read. The Crown solicitor appeared for the prosecution and Messrs. Napier & Dayton for the defense. The latter claimed that the court had no jurisdiction, and, after some argument, the case was remanded to the 7th, after which it was again remanded to the 11th. On that day the case was brought up. Consul Gamble was the first witness called. He testified on behalf of the prosecution as to the various articles found in Maxwell's trunk which, among other things, contained two embroidered handkerchiefs marked "C. A. P." and a shirt with two large spots of blood on it.

In reply to a question as to how the articles, not bearing the initials of his name, had come in his possession, Maxwell said they had been given to him in San Francisco by a man named Robinson. Detective Twohey, one of the two who arrested him on the steamer, testified to finding the following articles in Maxwell's grip-sack: Thirty-four cuffs, two handkerchiefs marked "C. A. P.," a memorandum book marked Dauguer; a pocket medical dictionary in which was written W. H. Lennox-Maxwell, M. A. D., F. A. R. C. S., and a dressing-case marked W. H. Lennox-Maxwell. All of these articles Maxwell said he bought from the same man, Robinson, in San Francisco. Counsel for the defense, at this point of the proceedings, again contended that the court had no jurisdiction in the matter and asked for a dismissal. The case was then remanded to May 16. On that day it was remanded to the 23d, and again on that day to the 30th. Judge Smith who is hearing the case, stated that he would remand the case eight days at a time until the officers from St. Louis arrived.

## Very Remarkable Recovery.

Mr. Geo. V. Willing, of Manchester, Mich. writes: "My wife has been almost helpless for five years, so helpless that she could not turn over in bed alone. She used two bottles of Electric Bitters, and is so much improved, that she is now able to do her own work."

## As Far as Heard From.

Hon. W. R. Edgar was appointed Receiver of the U. S. Land Office at Ironton last Monday. A better appointment could not have been made. Mr. Edgar is a rising young Democrat and a gentleman in every respect.—*Piedmont Leader*.

W. R. Edgar has been appointed Receiver of Public Monies at Ironton. Mr. Edgar is young, talented and honest, and in his appointment the young Democracy has been recognized and honored.—*Fredericktown Plaindealer*.

Mr. W. R. Edgar, of Ironton, has been appointed receiver of public monies in the land office at that place. Mr. Edgar is a young man of strict integrity and sterling qualities, and his appointment to this responsible position will be commended by all who know him.—*Farmington Times*.

W. R. Edgar, prosecuting attorney of Iron county, has been appointed Receiver of the Land Office at Ironton, vice G. H. Crumb. Mr. Edgar, besides being prosecuting attorney, is a member of the State Democratic Committee, and is thoroughly competent and deserving.—*Popular Bluff Citizen*.

## Humor Evolved Through Defeat.

Fredericktown Plaindealer. COURT SCENE. Judge: "Prisoner at the bar the sentence of the court is that you be taken hence with all convenient speed to the penitentiary at Cape Girardeau, there to remain in confinement at hard labor for the term of three years."

Prisoner: (With trembling cheeks and between his sobs) "Have pity on me your honor! Don't send me there to linger and die. As you are a man of compassion save me from a fate so terrible! My last prayer shall be for you and yours if you will only commute my sentence; rather than go to that place I will ask the court to make it death by hanging."

Court: (To clerk) "In view of the prisoner's statement, Mr. Clerk, let the order be entered as desired."

## Land Office Notice.

LAND OFFICE at Ironton, Mo., June 6th, 1885. Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at Ironton, Mo., on Saturday, July 18th, 1885, viz: James K. Spencer, 11d entry No. 627, for the east 1/2 of Sec. 7, and NW 1/4 Sec. 8, T. 31, north range 1 east. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: C. Tindell, of Montana P. O., Iron county, Mo., and Thomas Clark, Carroll Crocker and James Akers, of Goodland P. O., Iron county, Mo. JAMES H. CHASE, Register.

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## School Fund Mortgage Sale.

Whereas, Carroll R. Peck and Emily Peck by their certain School Fund Mortgage deed, dated the 24th day of March, 1879, whereby said mortgage deed was duly recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for Iron county, on the 24th day of March, 1879, and Book "Q," at pages 173 and 174, conveyed to Iron county, Missouri, for the use and benefit of the Capital School Fund of said county, (herein more particularly described and set forth) the following described real estate, lying and being in said Iron county, State of Missouri, described as follows, to wit:

The southeast quarter of the northwest quarter, and the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section thirty-seven (37) in township thirty-four (34), north of range four (4) east, containing 88.88 acres, more or less.

Which conveyance was made to secure the payment of five hundred dollars belonging to the Capital School Fund of said county, as follows, to wit: To township 30, range 4 east, \$100; to township 30, range 34, north of range 23, to township 33, range 1 east, \$14.00; township 34, range 3 west, \$9.35; township 35, range 2 west, \$28.77; and to the public school fund of said county, \$20.55; total, \$500.00, for which said amount the said Carroll R. Peck and Emily Peck, as principals, with Jacob Grandhomme and Samuel T. Gay, as securities, executed their bond for the sum of \$500, of even date with said mortgage, bearing interest at the rate of ten per cent. per annum from date, bearing date the 24th day of March, 1879, and payable on the 24th day of March, 1875, which said bond has become and remains unpaid.

And, whereas, among other things it is provided in said deed of mortgage that if default should be made in the payment of the principal or interest, or any part thereof, at the time when the same should become due and payable according to the tenor and effect of said bond, that then the acting Sheriff of Iron county, Mo., should have power without suit, on said deed of mortgage to proceed and sell said property conveyed and mortgaged, by both principal and securities.

Now, therefore, in accordance with the provisions of said deed of mortgage, and in obedience to an order of the Honorable County Court of Iron county, Missouri made at its June Term, 1885, I, Simon E. Buford, Sheriff of said county of Iron, State of Missouri, will, on

Tuesday, July 21st, 1885,

at the east front door of the Court House in the city of Ironton, county aforesaid, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 5 o'clock P. M. of that day, sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the above described real estate, to satisfy said bond and mortgage and the cost hereon.

S. E. BUFORD, Sheriff of Iron county, Mo.

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